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Application of:

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For: PROGESTERONE RECEPTOR MODULATORS WITH INCREASED

ANTIGONADOTROPIC ACTIVITY FOR FEMALE BIRTH CONTROL AND HORMONE

REPLACEMENT THERAPY

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated April 22, 2004:

- Attached is a Declaration and Power of Attorney in compliance with 37 CFR § \boxtimes 1.53 along with the late filing surcharge of \$130.00
- Applicant(s) include the filing fee of \$770.00. \boxtimes
- for Applicant(s) include the extra claims fee of \$ claims in excess of 20 \$18/\$9 per additional claim, for independent claims in excess of 3 \$84/\$42 per additional claim, and/or \$280 for multiple dependent claims.
- Applicant(s) include an executed assignment and Recordation Form Cover Sheet \boxtimes with the recordation fee of \$40.00 (Check No. 32598).
- Attached is a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts. \boxtimes
- Applicant(s) request that the time for taking action in this case be extended \boxtimes pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) for a period of three months along with the fee of \$950.00.
- Applicant(s) are entitled to small entity status.
- Attached is a verified English translation of the German language text filed on \boxtimes August 1, 2003 along with the fee of \$130.00.
- Applicant(s) provide the title of the invention/inventor(s) name(s) and address(es) on the attached provisional application cover sheet along with the \$50/\$25

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☐ Attached is the Sequence Disclosure as requi
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- ☐ Attached is the Substitute Specification as required.
- Attached are the substitute drawings as required.
- Attached is an English translation of the application.
- Attached is a certified copy of French Application No. filed on Acknowledgment of receipt of this document is hereby requested.

Attached is a check in the amount of \$ 1,980.00. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 CFR § 1.16 and § 1.17 which may be required to facilitate this filing, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account #13-3402, two copies of this paper are attached for this purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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CASE

ACTION _

DUE DATE _

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The application was filed in a language other than English. Applicant is required to provide an English translation of the specification and a statement that the translation is accurate. (See 37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- Applicant must file an English translation of the application, the \$ 130 fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(i), unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- Because your specification was filed in a language other than English, the Office was unable to determine the number of claims submitted. Additional claim fees may be due once the number of claims can be determined.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

 Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:

■ The drawing figures contain text that is not in English (including, for example, a flow chart that was originally not in English that has been marked up to include the English text) (see 37 CFR 1.84(p)(2) and 37 CFR 1.52(d)(1)). See Figure(s) 1-11.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$1030 for a Large Entity

- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.
- \$130 for English translation surcharge required.

Replies should be mailed to:

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